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Randall S. SPRINGFIELD, et al.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 CFR §41.31

Sir:

In the Final Office Action dated March 27, 2006, and in the Advisory Action dated June 9, 2006, the Examiner rejected Claims 1-12. In response, Applicant hereby appeals to the Board the decision of the Primary Examiner. An Appellant's Brief will be filed within two months from the date of this notice.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$500.00 to Deposit Acct. No. 50-3533 (Lenovo) for payment of the Notice of Appeal filing fee. If any unresolved issues remain, please contact Applicant's attorney at the telephone number indicated below.

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Respectfully submitted,
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